

**PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of Docket No: Q80180

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Appln. No.: 10/792,297 Group Art Unit: 1742

Confirmation No.: 3153 Examiner: John P. SHEEHAN

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For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING MAGNETIC PARTICLE, MAGNETIC PARTICLE AND
MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIUM

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of March 23, 2007, from June 23, 2007 to September 24, 2007 (September 23, 2007, being a Sunday).

Please charge the statutory fee of \$1,020.00 to Deposit Account No.: 19-4880. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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